[Mr. T. P. Ramasubba Aiyar.]

(*i*) It cannot be definitely said when it will be completed. Probably by the end of 1105.

(*j*) Yes.

(*k*) Yes.

(*l*) Yes. A report in the matter has been received from the Chief Engineer who held a conference on the 19th October 1928 with the Land Revenue Commissioner, the Director of Agriculture and the members of the Legislative Council from the Shertallai and Ambalapuzha taluks.

(*m*) Copy* of the minutes of the conference, containing the information is laid on the table.

West Turavur Vernacular Middle School.

332. **MR. MURUVELIL PACHU PILLAI** (*Shertallai*): Will the Government be pleased to state:

(*a*) the number of classes in the West Turavur Vernacular Middle School;

(*b*) the number of pupils undergoing tuition there;

(*c*) the area of the compound in which the school is situate; and

(*d*) whether they or the departmental head has received any representations regarding the extension of the school compound, and, if so, the action taken on the same?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): (*a*) Seven classes (I to VII) with thirteen divisions.

(*b*) 643.

(*c*) Nineteen cents.

(*d*) The answer to the first part of the question is in the negative. In view of the answer to the first part, the second part does not arise.

Statement, by caste, of the Officers of the Science and Arts Colleges, Trivandrum.

333. **MR. V. J OOMMEN** (*Commerce and Industry, North*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing the number of Brahmins, Nayars, Catholics, Jacobites, Mar Thoma Christians, Protestants, Ezhavas, Mahomedans, Vellalas and members of other communities, among the officers of the Colleges of Arts and Science at Trivandrum?

MR. K. GEORGE (*Chief Secretary to Government*): The statement† asked for by the member is laid on the table.

Statement, by caste, of Sirkar Vakils.

334. **MR. V. J. OOMMEN** (*Commerce and Industry, North*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement, by caste, of the Sirkar Vakils now (9-7-1929) in service?

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* *Vide* Appendix LVI B—page 1082. † *Vide* Appendix LVII – page 1083.

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MR. P. N. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*): The statement† asked for is laid on the table.

Statement, by caste, of Tahsildars and Provertikars in the State.

335. **MR. TARIATU KUNJITOMMAN** (*Muvattupuzha* cum *Todupuzha*): Will the Government be pleased to lay on the table a statement showing separately the number of Brahmins, Nayars, Catholics, Jacobites, Mar Thoma Christians, Protestants, Ezhavas, Mahomedans, Vellalas and members of other communities among the present (1-7-1929) Tahsildars and Provertikars in the State?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): A statement,* by caste, of the Tahsildars brought up to 1st July 1929 is laid on the table. As regards Provertikars, particulars up to the close of the year 1103 were furnished to the member on the 5th December 1928. (*Vide* page 121 of Vol. XIV of the Council Proceedings). Particulars for the subsequent period have been called for.

Ferry at Arakkunnur kadavu.

336. **MR. R. KESAVA PILLAI** (*Kottarakara* cum *Kunnattur*): (1) Are the Government aware of the hardship which people have to undergo during rainy seasons in crossing the Arakkunnur *kadavu*, in the Ittikara river in the Velinallur pakuti?

(2) Will they be pleased to provide a canoe for the use of the above place during rainy seasons?

MR. T. P. RAMASUBBA AIYAR (*Secretary to Government*): (1) Yes.

(2) This will be considered.

Prosecutions under the Travancore Motor Vehicles Regulation.

337. **MR. V. CHELLAM PILLAI** (*Tovala*): Will the Government be pleased to state the number of prosecutions made under the Travancore Motor Vehicles Regulation in the Trivandrum-Nagercoil line with special reference to the number of prosecutions against big buses and against nine-seaters, during the periods (i) from the 1st Chingam 1104 to the 1st Kumbham 1104, and (ii) from the 1st Kumbham 1104 to the 1st Edavam 1104, and (iii) during the months of Edavam and Mithunam 1104?

MR. P. N. KRISHNA PILLAI (*Secretary to Government*): A statement ‡ furnishing the information is laid on the table.

Construction of a Travellers' Bungalow at Pala.

338. **MR. A. C. KURIAKOSE** (*Minachil* cum *Devicolam*): (1) Are the Government aware that even touring officers very rarely go to Pala, the capital of the Minachil taluk, and stay there, as there is no suitable building for the accommodation of distinguished guests from outside and of the chief officers and others at that place?

(2) Will they be pleased to state:

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* *Vide* Appendix LVIII—page 1084.

† *Vide* Appendix LVIX—page 108. ‡ *Vide* Appendix LX—page 1086.

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Appendix LVIII.

***Vide* Answer to Question No. 334.**

Statement, by caste, of Sirkar Vakils in service (9-7-1929).

The statement contains the permanent as well as the acting and Temporary Sirkar Vakils.	Hindus.																Mussalmans.	Christians.						Others.	Remarks.
	Brahmin (Malayala).	Brahmins (Others).	Ezhavas.	Kammalas.	Kshatriyas (Malayala).	Nadars	Nayars.	Pulayas.	Vellalas.	Other depressed classes.	Other Hindus.							Roman Catholics.			Syrians.				
																		Protestants.	Latin rite.	Syriac rite.	Jacobite.	Mar Thoma.			